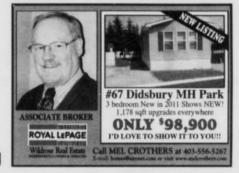
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WILD RIDE - Competitors exit the starting ramp during the annual Soapbox Derby in Didsbury on June 13.

Noel West/MVP Staff

# Council makes several recommendations on honorariums

Many dealing with transparency

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Council members made several recommendations at the June 9 meeting to clarify the town's honorarium policy while making honorariums more transparent for the public.

The discussion was brought forward from a previous council meeting during which the topic was discussed but no resolutions were made.

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Coun. Joyce McCoy, who suggested making honorariums more transparent for the public, said while she thought the current practice of posting staff and council member expenses on the town's website was good, more could be done to improve transparency.

"What's on the website right now isn't the best. Those scans are just not professional," she said, indicating that a spreadsheet like the one she showed council members at the meeting would be better.

McCoy said because there are few formal rules about what a councillor can charge for, some councillors are including all the time they spend on council business when calculating "I really don't think we should feel bad about what we make. We all work hard."

COUN. JOYCE MCCOY

their per diems. She suggested that staff clarify in the policy what council members can charge for and what should be included as part of their regular duties.

For example, she said that meeting with individual residents on a topic of concern to the resident shouldn't be charged for, nor should attendance at events such as parades or the newly-implemented coffee-with-council chats. Attendance at meetings should be charged for, she said.

"The one that's bothered me the most is ... you (shouldn't) charge for sitting with residents. That's our job," she said.

Coun. Gail Nowlan said some of the discrepancy with council member claims results from the policy not clearly spelling out what claims and expenses should be made by members. She supported the policy being more prescriptive to promote uniformity of

McCoy said in light of Didsbury council members making the least of their council colleagues throughout municipalities in Mountain View County – councillors make \$1,209 per month compared to Mountain View County councillors who top the list at \$2,289 per month – council members shouldn't be shy about telling residents what they do to earn their money.

"I really don't think we should feel bad about what we make. We all work hard," she said.

Coun. Sheila Shulz said she thought that when a council member attends a public event such as a parade or a trade fair, they should include that in their per diem claims because if they didn't, Shulz thought many council members wouldn't show up to such events. McCoy disagreed.

"There's a certain amount of community engagement that is part of our job," she said.

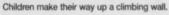
Also discussed was requesting all boards and commissions that have their own per diem amounts that they give to representatives, disclose those to Town of Didsbury officials so they can be posted on the town's website to give a more accurate accounting of councillor remuneration.

Coun. Lavar Adams said while he raised this issue at a past meeting of the Mountain View Regional Water Services Commission, he said the commission doesn't release that information on a blanket basis. The commission only releases that information if the individual member agrees to such a request.

As part of the recommendations to town administrators, council members ratified a recommendation that they file claims and expenses electronically at regularly scheduled intervals and that the town's chief financial officer and mayor sign off on the claims to ensure accountability.

## **BLOCK PARTY 2015**







Autumn Bates-Gardiner makes her way up a climbing wall during the Town of Didsbury's block party on June 12.



Caitlin Jeffery looks at the number printed on the bottom of a fish.



Photos by Noel West/MVP Staff

Children dig for coins in a pile of sand.

## Councillors turn down meeting with library board

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Council members turned down a request from the Didsbury Municipal Library board to discuss a potential grant application to refurbish the existing library.

The decision was made at the June 9 meeting of town council. Council members felt the timeline for the requested meeting – between the council meeting on June 9 and the application deadline of June 17 – was too tight for town representatives to formulate a plan on the library's application. While council members said they supported the library, there were too many variables that must

be considered with the particular application if it went forward, and the timeline was too short, they said.

"As far as support for

As Iar as support for the library, we're 100 per cent behind the library," Coun. Garth Hollinger said.

Coun. Joyce McCoy said the type of plan that library officials are considering needs public consultation before town officials could throw support behind the plan.

support behind the plan.

Many councillors
speculated that if the
library's plan called for
more space, necessitating the Town of Didsbury
office to be moved out of
its portion of the building, a long lead time
would be required to find
alternate accommoda-

tions. A suitable alternative hasn't been found

"I think the community is entitled to (consultation)," McCov said.

tion)," McCoy said.
"To meet the deadline,
it's almost impossible.
Council is a long ways
from making a decision,"
Roy Brown, the town's
chief administrative officer, told council memhers.

With all of the other municipal projects being undertaken in the next while, Brown said that if the Town of Didsbury were to take on some form of financial responsibility with the library project, it could be burdened with too much financial responsibility.

Brown also said council members have had closed-door discussions regarding locations for a new library, municipal office and Didsbury After School Care Association facilities, but no decisions have been made at this point.

He also said an engineering review on the current town office-library needs to be made before any application to refurbish the building could be submitted.

"I just think it's too short a time period, " Coun. Lavar Adams said.

Following the conclusion of the council discussion, Maia Foster, the chair of the library board, told council members she was disappointed with the tenor of the discussion she heard around the council table.

She said because she recently assumed chairmanship of the library board and had to get familiar with the grant application, she only recently became aware of the scope of the pro-

ject. But she also said the library board needed council's support in order to proceed with the grant application.

the grant application.

Foster told council members that all of the issues that council members raised during the discussion could have been talked about with the library board following the board submitting an application.

an application.

"We have been trying to have our voices heard ... and I feel it's very unfortunate that you didn't allow us a voice," she said.

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RCMP are hoping someone may be able to identify this man.

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## Police briefs

## Thefts in Kildeer Close

Didsbury RCMP are requesting the public's assistance in identifying two suspects police believe are responsible for three separate thefts at the same residence in Kildeer Close during April, May and June. Police believe two suspects are responsible for all three thefts of copper wire and tools.

Surveillance captured a man and a woman riding in a blue Chevy Silverado at the scene of one of the heists. If anyone has any information about the suspects, they are asked to contact the Didsbury detachment at 403-335-3382 and reference file number 2015-692854.

#### Quads stolen

RCMP received a report on June 5 that two quads and a push lawn mower were stolen from a rural property in Mountain View County sometime previous to the report. One of the items was a red 2002 Honda TRX 450 while the other quad was a black 70 cc model.

### Mountain bike stolen

RCMP received a report that sometime on June 5

a blue mountain bike was stolen from a residential garage on 20 Street. There are no suspects

## Mischief to mailboxes

Police received a report that on June 6, a culprit or culprits attempted unsuccessfully to gain access to a group of mailboxes on Rge. Rd. 285 and Twp. Rd. 310. The suspect or suspects tried to cut the locks and in the process damaged the mailboxes, but no mail was taken.

#### Truck stolen

RCMP received a report that on June 8 on Rge. Rd. 10 and Twp. Rd. 292, a red 2008 Dodge Ram dual-wheel 3500 was stolen between 4 and 6 a.m. The next day, Didsbury RCMP received a call from the Calgary Police Service (CPS) that a licence plate that was taken from the correct vehicle and attached to the stolen Dodge was subsequently recovered. The truck was also later recovered by the CPS from 11 Street NW in Calgary at 16 Avenue NW at about 3 p.m. on June 11. The vehicle was locked at the time of recovery, with no damage apparent to the ignition or vehicle. There are no suspects.





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YEAR-END SOUNDS - The Didsbury High School Grade 9 Jazz Band performs during a concert at the TransCanada Theatre on June 12.



The Didsbury High School Grade 9 Jazz Band performs during a concert at the TransCanada Theatre on June 12.

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## Soap box derby brings out racers

Despite less than ideal conditions

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

The annual soap box derby brought out 19 racers in the open, senior and junior divisions on June 13 on Highway 582.

The annual event, sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club, had seven participants from the Lacombe 4-H Outsiders Multi-Club.

Sharyl James, a member of the Lions Club who helped organize the race, said many of the participants use the Didsbury race as a warm-up for a circuit of soap box races throughout the province.

throughout the province.
James said this year
some of the schools in
Didsbury built cars as a
class project and then
entered the races to test
out their cars.

"We had a group of kids at (Didsbury schools) make their own cars this year and they had (class members) come out to support them. We've had different schools participate (through the years) and we really like to see schools participate. We've had a good showing from Read Ranch School ... over the years," James said.



Competitors make their way down the starting ramp during the annual Soapbox Derby in Didsbury on June 13.

Noel West/MVP Staff

"There's quite a few that watch (one year, and enter the next)," she

Carson McCulloch, 12, participated in his first race this year and built his car as a school project.

"It's a great experience to drive your own cart," he said, adding that while it took about a month to build his car, he had fun doing it.

"It takes some time to get the parts and build the car," he said. Gina Wrigley, also

Gina Wrigley, also 12, said she had a few nerves when she started racing, but after a couple of times down the track, she found it a good experience.

"At first I was nervous but after the first time I did it, it was fun. (I was nervous) because I'd never done it before and it was a really steep ramp," she said.

Wrigley said while it took awhile to build her car, she had fun doing it.

Camryn Hutchinson, who was one of the Lacombe participants, talked to the Review after her third run down the track. She said she enjoyed racing her friends down the track.

"It's awesome," she said, noting she came to the derby and raced in 2013.

Justin Campbell, aged nine, participated in his first derby on June 13. He had gone down the track four times before the Review spoke to him.

"It's good. I really like it and I think more people should try it," he said.

Watching other racers go down the road last year, Campbell said since new pavement was laid on the highway it is a much smoother ride.

"It's not bumpy anymore. Last year it was really bumpy, but they put new pavement (on the road), so it's much better," he said.

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Competitors make their way down the starting ramp during the annual Soapbox Derby in Didsbury on June 13.

## **Didsbury honours local seniors for contributions**

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

More than 150 people turned out on June 11 at the multi-purpose room to honour seniors and their many contributions to building the community over the decades.

The event was in con-junction with Seniors' Week, held June 1 to 7. As part of the event, Coun. Garth Hollinger made a few comments on behalf of council members and town staff to recognize seniors for all their hard work in volunteering and working to build the province.

Lois Wright of Didsbury Senior Support Services (DSSS), which helped organize the function, said it was a small way the group could acknowledge all the hard work seniors have done over the years to help the community and

the province.
"Through their tenacity perseverance,

and perseverance, they built our province to what it is today," she said. The event marked the conclusion of events DSSS holds from September until June each year. Every Thursday afternoon during that time, seniors gather at the train station to socialize, take in various guest speakers on topics such as elder abuse and financial scams that target seniors.

scams that target seniors.

"We also have a number of board games that seniors play. They (practise) problem solving with board games," Wright said.

Wright said she hopes that DSSS will begin offering more programs to local seniors beginning in the fall, once they are approved by the board of approved by the board of directors.



Tom and Rosheen Paton, along with pianist Bev Felker, entertained seniors during the annual seniors' week celebration held last week.

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# Cut expenses before services

BY SIMON DUCATEL
MVP Staff

A propaganda photo of our inspirational leader presents him standing immaculately centred in front of a giant Canadian flag so monstrously large not even half of it fits in the frame.

Aside from flagrant posturing, the necessity of such an oversized flag is bewildering.

It serves no purpose, other than to aggrandize the prime minister, and further represents one of Big Brother's biggest problems.

Over bloating and senseless expenses

Such large flags cost anywhere from hundreds of dollars to a thousand or more. Meanwhile, many Canadians are scraping by on

Meanwhile, many Canadians are scraping by on about that much every two weeks.

The Canadian Payroll Association recently found that 51 per cent of respondents said in a survey they would be up the proverbially unpleasant creek without a paddle if their paycheque was delayed just one week. That's up three per cent from several years before. It must be the "recovery" hard at work.

The thought of a hard-working individual's paycheque being roughly equivalent to some needless,

The thought of a hard-working individual's paycheque being roughly equivalent to some needless, gargantuan flag is nauseating. If the display served some greater purpose for Canadians or even humanity, it would at least be understandable. What was the hope, that other countries would like or respect us more if we put a monumental flag on display?

It's been said taxpayers are glad when their money

It's been said taxpayers are glad when their money is well invested and put to productive use — at least ideally they should be. It's when their money is wasted they'll take issue.

Needlessly excessive expenses in government are pervasive — there are now recently released reports pointing out government workers are getting paid almost 10 per cent more than their equivalent counterparts in the private sector.

This seems a turnaround of times when government jobs paid less but offered long-term stability while private sector jobs offered higher salaries but less or even no security in the long run.

It was a trade-off.

Before the government decides to start cutting back on health and education, as well as the environment, it should first and foremost look to cut its own generous salaries and lavish expenses. Government workers shouldn't be making so much more than private sector workers who do comparable jobs.

vate sector workers who do comparable jobs.

To be fair, there's also a large responsibility on us to live within our means.

Signing up for a new credit card when another one has been maxed is not sound financial strategy.

It was reported months ago by many news outlets that Canadians' debt to income ratio hit a new high at 163.3 per cent. Simply put, that's earning \$100 for roughly every \$163 owed.

roughly every \$163 owed.

It could be time to reconsider how many widescreen televisions we really need and whether we
need to replace smartphones every year.

need to replace smartphones every year. It would just be more encouraging if our leaders actually, well, led by example. Opinion



# Commentary Live organ appeals beneficial

BY JENNIFER CHANDLER

The public response to the appeal on behalf of Eugene Melnyk, owner of the Ottawa Senators hockey team, for a liver donor has been a heartwarming demonstration of the generosity of our community. Fortunately, a donor was found and the transplant was performed in time to save his life.

But is it fair that he received a donation when many others are waiting, and dying, on the wait-list for a transplant? This is one of the common themes in the commentary about it in the in the news.

in the commentary about it in the in the news. It is entirely understandable for those in desperate need to give up on the wait-list for a deceased donor and to reach out to their friends and family, and, if they are able to do so, to the public to find a live donor. There is perhaps an inescapable unfairness in all such appeals for live donors. Those with larger families and social circles may have a higher chance of locating a suitable donor. As for appeals to the public, those with wealth, fame, charisma or a particularly compelling story are likely to do better than those without these attributes because they are more appealing to the public or because they have better access to the means of effective mass communication.

Although some are critical of public appeals for live organ donors, it is important to note that refraining from launching these appeals does nothing to help anyone. In fact, it may actually harm both people like Mr. Melnyk who hope to find a donor as well as others on the wait-list. There are several ways in which public appeals to help one specific individual might indirectly benefit others waiting for a transplant.

When the topic of organ donation and transplantation attracts the public's attention, as it did recently, more people tend to register their willingness to donate after death and to speak to their families about donation. This benefits everyone by increasing the availability of organs from deceased donors. It is important to remember that wealth and fame do not play a role in the allocation of organs from deceased donors in Canada, even if these factors might offer a platform from which to launch more successful appeals for live donors.

successful appeals for live donors.

Second, some of those who have come forward to help Mr. Melnyk may be willing to help one of the other unknown Canadians facing a similarly desperate plight. In other words, Mr. Melnyk's public appeal may well save the lives of others who are less well-placed than he to command public attention.

According to the most recent annual statistics from the Canadian Institute for Health Information, 374 Canadians were awaiting a liver transplant in 2012. In the same time period, 111 in need of a liver transplant died or were removed from the waitlist. It is hard not to notice that in only a couple of days, 2,000 people responded to the appeal on Mr. Melnyk's behalf, and more than 500 sent in donor applications. This level of support could go a long way toward meeting the need for liver transplants in Canada.

The ideal outcome in this case is a healthy recovery for Mr. Melnyk and for the person who donated to him, as well as – and as important – spillover benefits for the many others awaiting a transplant.

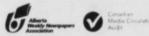
benefits for the many others awaiting a transplant. It is in our hands as members of the public to act to help the many unknown Canadians who are living among us desperately but quietly and anonymously awaiting a transplant. If we are troubled that the overwhelming response to celebrity appeals for live donors leaves these others unaided, there are steps we can take to help them too. It is a simple matter to register to donate after one's death.

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## Former MLA wins lottery

## Plans to buy a corvette and help grandchildren with education

BY JOSEPH HO MVP Staff

Former Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills MLA Bruce Rowe is \$1 million richer after winning the May 22 LOTTO MAX draw.

In a release from the Western Canada Lottery

Corporation, Rowe and his wife Carol bought their ticket in Calgary, picking the numbers: 16, 19, 20, 21, 25, 33, and 47.

Rowe is quoted saying he plans to buy a 1965 Corvette and to help with his grandchildren's education.

Earlier this year, Rowe decided to retire from pol-

itics. He was first elected as a Wildrose party MLA in 2012 before crossing the floor to the Progressive Conservatives in December, as one of nine Wildrose MLAs to go over to the conservative side of the benches.

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MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING: Wednesday June 17, 2015 at 4:30 pm

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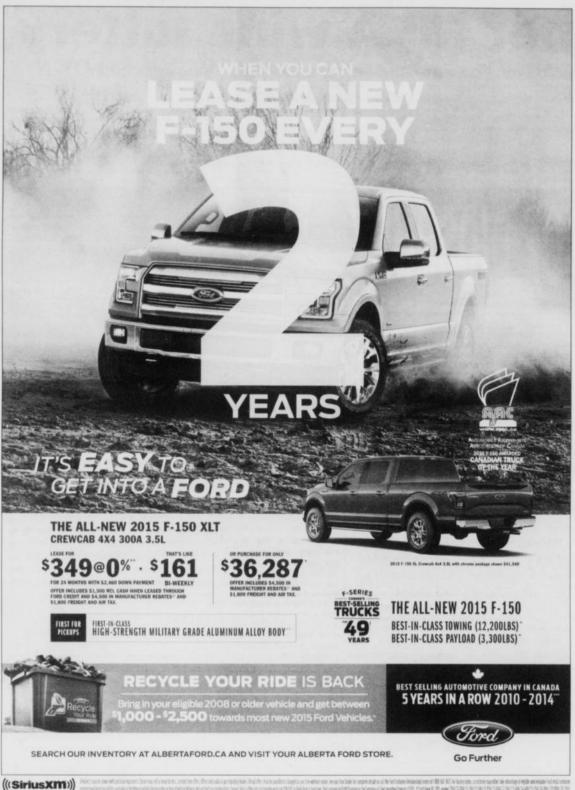
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**Didsbury Elks** 

member elected provincial president

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Association.

A local resident has been elected as president of the Alberta Elks

Keith McKinnon was elected president in Medicine Hat on June 5. He has been a member of the Didsbury Elks for 20 years and also a member of the Crossfield lodge. McKinnon has been

involved with the prov

incial association for the past eight years.

The primary issue McKinnon sees the Elks facing over the next year

remains increasing membership in various lodges

throughout the province.

He estimates there are about 4,000 members in

lodges around the prov-ince. Part of that number includes the acquisition

last December of about 30 lodges of the Royal Purple Elks. There are now about 100 lodges across the province.

"I'd sure like to increase the member-ship and raise lots of

money for the children. It's hard to get people to join non-profit organiza-

tions. Every organization is having the same prob-lem," he said. McKinnon said new fundraising ideas are always welcome. "We have multiple pro-jects that we're doing to raise money for both (the Alberta Elks Foundation and the Fund Children)," he said.

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From left, Grant Konschuh makes a shot on the fairway while Brad Edwards and Chris Gole look on during a golf tournament at the Didsbury Golf Course on June 13.

## **Colts golf tournament** brings together past, present players

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Seventy-two past and present players, along with team officials from the Mountain View Colts took to the Didsbury Golf Course on June 13 for the annual golf tournament.

The best-ball format was won by the team of Curtis Smith, Gaige Weseen, Cole Robertson and Drew Kocur with an 18-hole score of 62.

"It started a few years ago as an alumni tour-nament to get some of the past players out and it's just progressed from that. It's just a fun day," said Brent Youngs, the team's assistant coach and a member of the Colts' first-ever team 25 years ago.

Weseen said the tournament is a good opportunity to see past teammates and others in a fun atmosphere.

'It's good to see the guys come back. It's a great time to meet up with everybody and keep

"We all hit good shots, we all hit bad shots, but it just seemed to come together and we ended up posting a good score."

GAIGE WESEEN alumnus Mountainview Colts

in touch. We don't keep up as much as we could, but we do get together this tournament, which is really nice," he

Weseen was a member of the team for two seasons from 2011-2013.

Weseen said his team hit a few good shots when needed, and were able to pace the field.
"We all hit good shots,

we all hit bad shots, but it just seemed to come together and we ended up posting a good score,' he said.

Kocur, a member of last year's Colts team who made it to the Heritage Junior Hockey League semifinal, was the lone representative of last year's team to play

on the winning four-ball tournament on June 13. He said he had a good time playing with former Colts.

"It was a lot of fun.
I came all the way out here from Regina and I got to see some of the guys again as well as the (former players), had some fun and won the trophy," he said.

Kocur will be returning for the upcoming season and is looking forward to his last year of junior hockey. Kocur came to the Colts halfway through last season from Saskatchewan. He said he's looking forward to building on the momentum the team generated from the playoffs in February and March.

"We put a big run together and pushed through against Airdrie and we went to the (semifinals) there. It was a tough way to go out in four but I felt we had a good run. I think we have a good team and we'll have a lot of the same guys back (this season)," he said.



## AROUND Town

JUNE 2 TO AUGUST 29. Extended summer hours at the Didsbury Museum: Tuesdays to Fridays 9 to 4 and Saturdays 10 - 4 pm. BE AN ARTIFACT SLEUTH! Come and hunt for a selected artifact each week, and get your sleuth card stamped. After you have found 6 artifacts enter your card into a draw for a \$25 voucher. Children 12 & under need to be accompanied by an adult.

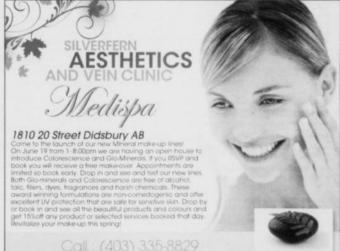
JUNE. Summer Reading Program Registration at the Library is open. Register your children (5 to 12 years of age) online at http://dml.prl.ab.ca or in the library. There will be 7 weeks of sessions on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings and afternoons. Children can attend on a drop in basis, but they must be registered. Special events to be scheduled for Fridays. There is no fee, thanks to the fundraising efforts of Mtn. View Credit Union (Didsbury Branch) and JD's.

JULY AND AUGUST. Seniors Support Services will be on reduced office hours for the months of June, July and August. Our office will be open on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 a.m. until Noon for any inquiries. Please call 403-335-4391 and messages will be picked up when the office is open

JUNE 27 AND 28 - Join us to celebrate the 70th Anniversary of Redeemer Lutheran Church, Didsbury. Sunday Worship Service at 10:30 a.m. with Rev. Larry Lentz followed by potluck and a program. Worship Service at 3:00 p.m. with Dr. Robert Bugbee - President of Lutheran Church Canada. Information about Saturday and other details are available at www.redeemerdidsbury.com or phone (403) 335-3161 or (403) 335, 3181.

JULY 7. Didsbury & District Community Bus trip to Calgary Stampede Heritage Day, Tuesday, July 7. Bus leaves complex at 10:00 am. Returning immediately after the "chucks" at approximately 9 pm Cost \$20 to be paid when boarding. Bus ride available to any age - make it a family day! Call Bea at 403 335-3058 to reserve.

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## Weightlifter sets two national records

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Local weightlifter Tate Beasley recently set two national records while attending his first-ever competition in Calgary on June 7 in Calgary.

Beasley successfully

completed a squat lift of 158.4 kilograms and a deadlift of 212 kilograms, setting national records for each lift in the 16- to 17-year-old 74-kilogram weight class. Beasley competed against eight other lifters in his weight class at the 100 per cent RAW Powerlifting Federation competition.

"Actually going in and competing and having people watch you is way more intense. It kind of gives you more drive and focus," he said.

Beasley watched other competitors on June 6 to get a sense of what competing might be like.

Beasley said most lifters like to compete against themselves, training and bettering themselves and trying to beat personal bests as opposed to competing against other lifters. "It's not really a competition with other people. It's a competition with yourself. Between the three lifts that you do (in a particular discipline) you get a total weight and in your next powerlifting meet your objective is to beat that weight, so it's more just bettering yourself," he said.

Beasley said he found the atmosphere at the competition encouraging.

"All the other fellow lifters, they're really inspirational. They're lifting big weights, they help you out, they compliment you, they want to make sure you do good as well," he said.

Beasley, who plans on attending another competition later this summer, said he learned that the competitions are a good way to meet others interested in the sport.

"It's a fun time. It's a good way to get to know new people. It's a good hobby if you enjoy physical activity," he



Noel West/MVP Staff

BIKING FOR BUCKS - Riders make their way north while riding between Didsbury and Olds during the MS Bike

## **Church Directory**

The REVIEW is pleased to provide this Church Directory as a community service

## Bergthal Mennonite Church

Didsbury, Alberta - Skm S of the Didsbury Overpass, 8km E on Bergthal Rd. Sunday Worship Service - 11:00 a.m. For more information phone 403-335-4451 Hearing Interpreter email: bergthal@xplomet.com www.bergthalmsennonitechurch.com

#### Knox United Didsbury

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#### West Zion Mennonite Church

westzion.com has a map for direction Senior Pastor Don Shortt Youth Pastor Josh Tiel XS. Sunday Services 10:00 am

## St. Anthony's Catholic

2030 - 24 Ave. Didsbury For more information please contact Catholic Women's League: Maxine Moreau 403-335-4948 Knights of Columbus: Gary McNeil 403-335-8611 For more information Olds St. Steven's Office 403-556-3084

#### Redeemer Lutheran Church Lutheran Church Canada

1500 - 23 St. Didsbury
Rev. Robert Mohns
Church: 403-335-3161 / Res: 403-335-3656
Sunday Worship - 10-30 a.m.
Holy Communion 2, 4 & 5 Sunday 10-30 a.m.
For further information visit
www.redeemerdidabury.com

#### Mountain View Evangelical Missionary Church

14 km East of Didsbury Pastor Art Numan Office: 403-335-4422 Morning Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. For information concerning the weekly activities please call the Church Office.

#### Anglican Church of Canada St. Cyprian's

2037 - 24th Ave. Didsbury - 403-335-4664 Rector - David Asher Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion - 20d & 4th Sunday each month

#### St. Agnes Catholic Church

302 - 11 Avenue South Carstairs, Alberta Mass Times: Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 10:00 a.m. Parish Priest -Fr. Thomas Vadassery 403-940-1100

#### Zion Evangelical Missionary Church

#802 Secondary Highway 582
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Web: www.zemc.org
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Alison Lefebvre, Youth Pastor
Christine Little, Children's Pastor
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& Worship Service 10-45 am
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## Community Resources

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE - Membership meetings are the 2nd Wednesday in June, September, November, and January. For more info please call 403-335-3265.

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ST. HILDA CHAPTER #27 O.E.S - Has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 403-335-281

DIDSBURY SENIOR SUPPORT SERVICES
- Co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 403-335-4391.

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DIDSBURY YOUTH JUSTICE COMMITTEE'S

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SUPPER INVITATION - The Didsbury Lions Club welcomes men & lady visitors at their supper meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 6:45 p.m. at the 5-0 Club. For information and to RSVP call 403-335-9173 or 403-335-4796.

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# Marketplace

#### TENNANT, STACEY JO (MUDRY) October 9, 1974 - June 2, 2015

nant (Mudry) passed away Tuesday, June 2, at the age of 40 years.

Stacey leaves to mourn her passing: husband. Duane Edward Tennant and children, George Douglas (16), Dennis Joseph (15), Ripley Rae Margaret (6), and Tony Montana (4); and mother. Wanda Mudry of Didsbury, sisters, Rhonda Henrion and family of Red Deer, Randi Mudry of Dornbirn. Austria, and many extended family members and a hour of Close friends. members and a host of close friends.

Stacey was predeceased by her dad, Douglas Joseph Mudry on Dec. 2, 2007; and her uncle Kent, just 3 weeks

We, the family, thank you all for your many expressions of sympathy. Donations may be made to the Alberta Heart & Stroke Foundation of AB, Box 336, Stn M, Calgary, AB, T2P 2H9.

A Celebration of LIFE will be held June 20 from 2-4pm "Peace of Mind" in Calgary.

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